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H. CON. RES. 171

Authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for an event to honor military personnel who have died in service to the United States and to acknowledge the sacrifice of the families of those individuals as part of the National Weekend of Remembrance.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 29, 2009

Mr. Klein of Florida submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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- 1 Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate
- 2 concurring),
- 3 SECTION 1. USE OF CAPITOL GROUNDS FOR NATIONAL
- 4 WEEKEND OF REMEMBRANCE EVENT.
- 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The White House Commission on
- 6 Remembrance (in this resolution referred to as the "spon-
- 7 sor") shall be permitted to sponsor a public event (in this

- 1 resolution referred to as the "event") on the Capitol
- 2 Grounds to honor military personnel who have died in
- 3 service to the United States and to acknowledge the sac-
- 4 rifice of the families of those individuals as part of the
- 5 National Weekend of Remembrance.
- 6 (b) Date of Event.—The event shall be held on
- 7 September 26, 2009, or on such other date as the Speaker
- 8 of the House of Representatives and the Committee on
- 9 Rules and Administration of the Senate jointly designate.
- 10 SEC. 2. TERMS AND CONDITIONS.
- 11 (a) In General.—Under conditions to be prescribed
- 12 by the Architect of the Capitol and the Capitol Police
- 13 Board, the event shall be—
- 14 (1) free of admission charge and open to the
- public; and
- 16 (2) arranged not to interfere with the needs of
- 17 Congress.
- 18 (b) Expenses and Liabilities.—The sponsor shall
- 19 assume full responsibility for all expenses and liabilities
- 20 incident to all activities associated with the event.
- 21 SEC. 3. EVENT PREPARATIONS.
- Subject to the approval of the Architect of the Cap-
- 23 itol, the sponsor is authorized to erect upon the Capitol
- 24 Grounds such stage, sound amplification devices, and

- 1 other related structures and equipment, as may be re-
- 2 quired for the event.

3 SEC. 4. ENFORCEMENT OF RESTRICTIONS.

- 4 The Capitol Police Board shall provide for enforce-
- 5 ment of the restrictions contained in section 5104(c) of
- 6 title 40, United States Code, concerning sales, advertise-
- 7 ments, displays, and solicitations on the Capitol Grounds,
- 8 as well as other restrictions applicable to the Capitol
- 9 Grounds, in connection with the event.

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